









## TO THE VOTERS OF COFFEE COUNTY

For the past eight years I have been employed as Clerk in the office of your Tax Collector. My being in this position has given me the opportunity to meet you and has given you a chance to observe my work.

In doing my work in this capacity, I have always been considerate and conscientious and have done my dead-level best to give you the service you are entitled to from the people employed in the public offices of your county.

In this paper I am announcing myself a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Circuit Court. If you can give me your vote and support, and I am elected to this office, I assure you that you will at all times receive courteous and efficient service.

I earnestly solicit the vote of each voter of Coffee County.

Yours very truly,  
GLADYS CLARK.  
(Paid political adv. authorized by Gladys Clark, Elba, Alabama.)

**FOR RENT**—I have a two-horse farm for rent (standing rent)—Mrs. C. S. HUTCHINSON, New Brockton, Ala. J15-25p.

**WANTED:** A good reliable man to supply customers with Raleigh Products in North Coffee, Geneva Counties, Vicksburg, Tenn., or see C. C. Nichols, Enterprise, Ala., Route 1. J11-11p.

## HERE'S THE OPPORTUNITY YOU HAVE BEEN WAITING FOR—

## Super-Value Used Cars

Don't wait—come in today and see them! Trade your present car for a better one.

1938 Master DeLuxe Town Sedan Chevrolet	\$475.00
1934 Master Chevrolet Coach, New Factory Built Motor	\$250.00
1936 Dodge 1/2 Ton Cab and Box	\$235.00
1937 V-8-85 Coach	\$350.00
1936 Standard Chevrolet Town Sedan, Good Condition	\$275.00
1935 Chevrolet Pick-Up	\$150.00

We'll demonstrate without any obligation to you. Hurry before these cars are sold.

**DORSEY BROS.**  
Authorized Chevrolet Dealers  
ELBA, ALABAMA

## Peanuts--

400 Tons—Selected No. 1 Runner Peanuts for sale. \$80.00 per ton F. O. B. Brundage, Alabama. In any quantities.

**HENDERSON & HELMS, Inc.**  
BRUNDIDGE, ALA.

**DR. JOSEPH CARROLL**  
Ophthalmic Eye Specialist  
Carroll Building  
TROY, ALABAMA  
Ethical Eye Examinations  
Glasses Prescribed and Fitted

## Registration Notice!

In accordance with the provisions of the Registration Laws (1932), the Registrars of Coffee County, Alabama, do hereby give notice that the following appointments are set for the purpose of registering those qualified under the law to register as electors:

**COURTHOUSE IN ENTERPRISE:**  
JANUARY 22, 23, 24, 25 and 26  
**COURTHOUSE IN ELBA:**  
JANUARY 27, 29, 30, 31, FEB. 1

H. C. Stephenson,  
P. B. Traweck,  
F. M. Farris,  
Registrars, Coffee County.

## VICTORIA NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Dorman Collins and son of Thomaston, Ga., are visiting relatives in this community.

Mrs. J. V. Wise visited Mrs. M. C. Boutwell Sunday.

The Victoria Boys' Band played at Mrs. Clayton Goodson's Sunday afternoon.

Miss Lataugh Wise was the dinner guest of Miss Norma Boutwell Sunday.

Messrs. Flournoy and Grover Thomas visited Mr. Ralph Houston Sunday.

Miss Wilma Crawley was the dinner guest of Messrs. Canning and Flora Parrish Sunday.

Mrs. Lenna Hood visited Mrs. Ed Goodson Sunday.

Misses Leola Hurston and Myrtle Thomas spent the past week-end in Montgomery.

Mr. Carlton Simmons visited Mr. Wilson Goodson Sunday night.

Miss Lenna Parrish is on the sick list. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

The Victoria School presented a short play at Zion Chapel last week. The play was followed with a ball game the Victoria team winning 28 to 30.

**MR. JOHN CARNEY DIES AT HIS HOME IN FLORIDA**

Mr. John Carney, brother of Judge J. A. Carney, and well known in Coffee County, passed away at his home in Glendale, Florida, last Friday night. It is stated that Mr. Carney and members of his family had been abolishing peanuts and that was apparently all right. Soon after retiring he complained of a severe pain in his chest. He finally arose and walked around the room for a moment and died suddenly.

He leaves a large number of relatives and friends to mourn his passing. Funeral services were held Sunday morning at eleven o'clock at Cool Springs Church near Opp, interment being in the church cemetery.

**ALABAMA TOWN FACES OBLIVION AFTER MARCH 1**

LOCKHART, Ala., Jan. 16.—This town of around 1,200 population was threatened by extinction today as the Jackson Lumber company, having exhausted the usable timber of its 120,000 acres, announced it would be forced to close in March.

Virtually the whole economy of the town, on the Alabama-Florida line, is based on employment of 600 men by the lumber company which has operated here since 1902.

A company representative made a plea for industries elsewhere to absorb the workers he described as "all good people far better than the average workers, and qualified to take over any kind of industry."

This official said machinery would be sold and it probably would be 15 years before the second growth of timber would be sufficient for re-establishment of the mills here.

The mill is probably the third largest lumbering enterprise in Alabama. The company owns 330 houses in Lockhart and many of the workers and their dependents live in nearby Florida. The employees are around 300 white men and an equal number of negroes.

A company spokesman said all were qualified for unemployment benefits from the State.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our friends for their kindness during our recent bereavement.

Mrs. Curtis Donaldson.  
Wilbur and Paul Donaldson.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Murphree have recently returned from Geneva to make their home in Elba. They are occupying an apartment in the home of Miss Mabel Brunson.

**COFFEE FARMERS RECEIVING 1939 CONSERVATION CHECKS**

The first shipment of checks issued under the 1939 Agricultural Conservation Program has been received by the county office and are being distributed at beat headquarters to individual farmers.

This shipment of checks amounting to \$13,422.60 will be distributed to approximately 200 farmers. Other checks will be received at a later date and individual farmers will be notified by the county office when their checks are received.

Coffee County farmers will receive approximately \$225,000 under the 1939 Agricultural Conservation Program and it is believed that the majority of this money will be distributed to them within the next sixty days.

**FARMERS CAN INCREASE SOIL BUILDING PRACTICES IN 1940**

The AAA is making a desperate effort to induce farmers to carry out needed soil building practices and soil conservation practices on their farms in 1940. The rates for credit for soil building practices under the agricultural conservation program for 1940 have been changed to give farmers a better opportunity to carry out needed practices which they do not normally put into practice. This change in credit for practices does not change the amount that a farm might earn for soil building, but merely changes the requirements for carrying it.

Under the 1940 program farmers must carry out more soil building practices than they have been carrying out to earn maximum payments.

Important practices which farmers in this county do not normally carry out on their farms are forestry, planting kudzu, and establishing improved pastures. These important practices should be carried out within the next few weeks.

Under the 1940 program farmers can earn \$40.00 for planting four acres of forest trees. They can also earn \$6.00 an acre for planting kudzu. They can also earn \$3.00 an acre for seeding permanent pastures with a minimum of 10 pounds of common lespedeza, 10 pounds of Dallas grass, and 4 pounds of white Dutch clover.

Farmers can also earn \$1.50 for each 500 pounds of basic slag applied to pastures.

The 1940 program will give farmers in this county a wonderful opportunity to improve their farms. The AAA hopes that all farmers will take advantage of this opportunity.

**COMPLETE RECORD OF WORLD WAR VETERANS TO BE MADE**

MONTGOMERY, Ala.—Of special interest throughout the world is the efforts now under way for the compilation of the complete record of every person in the State that served the colors during the dark days of 1917-18.

A great volume and placed in the Department of Archives and History at Montgomery.

These historical records will prove of lasting benefit to the veterans as well as prove of untold advantage in compiling the history of the State. It is pointed out, as for the veterans, many have occasion at various times to refer to their war record in matters pertaining to claims and other government advantages and preferences. As for the State, no history can be written without a glorious chapter being penned concerning the part Alabama's soldiers, sailors and marines played in the Great War. The book is to be a permanently bound volume and will contain only those names that are obtained during the current year through the efforts of the American Legion, Department of Alabama.

Each veteran should sketch briefly the following desired information and immediately take it to the adjutant of the American Legion post nearest his home where it will be properly inscribed on blanks provided and forwarded to those in charge of this gigantic undertaking.

Full name and present address; age, date of birth, and service record; date and place of entry into service; character of discharge; Family record; name of father, mother, wife and children; American Legion record; number of years a member of the organization and official positions held.

The historical record of Alabama's part in the World War as gathered from the individual records of her fighting men and women should prove one of the most valuable books yet published on this period of our history, the official state.

Mrs. Marvin Lewis of Dothan spent Sunday in Elba, guest of her mother, Mrs. S. H. Brock, and sister, Miss Nell Brock.

## WORKSTOCK CLINICS TO BE HELD IN COUNTY NEXT WEEK

Dear Coffee County Farmer: We are giving you below a list of meetings at which demonstrations or clinics on diseases and defects of workstock will be given. We should like for you to attend and bring your workstock.

At these meetings, we, assisted by able veterinarians, will give practical suggestions for feeding and care of workstock and make examinations for diseases and defects and make of any other assistance possible toward improving the general health condition and efficiency of your workstock.

The 1940 meetings will be conducted along the same general lines as in the past. This will be the only series of such meetings we will be able to conduct this year. May we again urge you to bring your workstock to one of these meetings listed below. All meetings will be from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

New Hope (W)—Monday, January 20.

Victoria (W)—Tuesday, January 23.

Zion Chapel (W)—Wednesday, January 31.

Bluff Springs (W)—Thursday, February 1.

Ham School (W)—Friday, February 2.

Danley's Cross Roads (W)—Monday, February 5.

Bluff Springs (W)—Tuesday, February 6.

Mt. Pleasant (W)—Wednesday, February 7.

Goodman (W)—Thursday, February 8.

Farmers Academy (W)—Friday, February 9.

New Brockton (W)—Monday, February 12.

Enterprise (W)—Tuesday, February 13.

Perry's Store (S)—Monday, January 22.

Kinston (S)—Tuesday, January 30.

Ino (S)—Wednesday, January 31.

Lavertt (S)—Thursday, February 1.

Basin School (S)—Friday, February 2.

(W)—Dr. Walding.

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Very truly yours,  
HUGH D. SEXTON,  
County Agent.

## LEE COMMISSIONY NEWS

We have been having some very cold weather. Some few are sick in the county with measles and flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Odie Dyess are the proud parents of a baby boy.

A large crowd enjoyed a peanut shelling at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Easton Mallory Thursday night of last week.

Mrs. Millie Flowers called on Mrs. Arthur Manning Sunday afternoon.

Many fine things lots of changes. We welcome to our company Mr. and Mrs. Lee Livingston.

The proud parents of a baby boy, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bowdoin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bowdoin and family moved to Opp, Mr. and Mrs. Lehigh Crocker and family to Claywood; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Moore and family to the Thomas Hill country; and Mr. and Mrs. Rowe Bowers and daughter, Reid, to Damascus. We wish for them much happiness in their new homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Alto Brown announce the arrival of a baby boy. Miss Lurline Boyer visited Miss Thelma Hall Sunday afternoon.

Miss Martha Ann Smith was the Thursday night guest of Miss Sarah Livings.

Mr. Clarence Vaughan visited Mr. Fred Lee during the week-end. Misses Grace, Gladys and Jean Moore called on Miss Lurline Boyer Thursday night.

Mr. Joe Dyess was a business visitor to Enterprise Saturday.

Miss Sarah Livings was the week-end guest of Miss Martha Ann Smith.

Miss Jean Parker visited Miss Wayne Bowdoin Saturday afternoon.

Miss Grace Moore is on the sick list this week. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. Marvin Crocker left last week for South Florida.

**MRS. BROCK ENTERTAINS AT BRIDGE PARTY**

Mrs. Milford Brock was hostess at a delightful bridge party in her home on Hickman Avenue Friday afternoon, when she entertained the members of the Double Six bridge club.

Potted plants added a decorative note to the rooms where the games were played.

A delicious salad plate with hot coffee was served at the conclusion of the progressions to the following guests:

Mrs. E. P. Gieger, Mrs. Jim Whitman, Mrs. Herbert McCall, Mrs. Harris Winston, Mrs. John Wiley English, Mrs. W. L. Walsh, Mrs. Milford Collier, Mrs. N. B. Crowell, Mrs. George Collier, Mrs. Joe Frank Prescott and the hostess, Mrs. Brock.

**GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY!**

## PLEASANT RIDGE NEWS

Elder J. M. Allen preached at Pleasant Ridge Saturday and Sunday. Very large crowds attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Goodson of Enterprise spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Smith.

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## Oto Has Hopes Of Being Ruler

PARIS—Archduke Otto of Hapsburg, who hopes to ascend a throne, was seen today in the city when the war ends, said that Central Europe "must be rebuilt on the ashes of what is left from the World War."

The 27-year-old archduke, trained for kingship by his mother, the former Empress Zita, in an exclusive interview with the United Press described for the first time his hope for post-war creation of a federation of Danubian states.

In a simple bedroom in a modest Paris hotel, which Otto has selected for his wartime "court in exile," he said that Russia and Germany cannot equally great dangers to civilization and that after conquering Germany it may be necessary for the Allies to push Russian influence out of Europe.

**Germany Stripping Austria.**

"It is certain that Austria will be ruled when Germany leaves," Otto said. "Even now Germany is stripping Austria of its forests."

"I see grave danger in repeating the errors of the Versailles and St. Germain peace makers and in trying to revive, independently of each other, many of the small states that have succeeded during the last 20 years. The failure of Poland, one of the most powerful of all the states created by the peace-makers to survive, and of Czechoslovakia to survive even 20 years proves the folly of a system of setting up small unprotected states alongside powerful neighbors."

"The tendency is and should be toward a federation of states grouped for mutual military, political, economic and social betterment. We have before our eyes the splendid example of the United States of America as proof that the theory can be applied practically. But before we reach the union of all Europe we must start with a federation of Central Europe."

"I have a firm belief in the restoration of the monarchy in Austria-Hungary at the end of this war. With that restoration there could be a federation of Central European states and each could guarantee aid to protect the integrity of the others."

"There will be no peace in Europe and no hope for disarmament so long as Russia is armed. A Central European federation must be powerful because we have had ample proof that a desire for peace is not sufficient."

**Russia's Waiting Game.**

"By our geographical location we must be the barrier to two modern, aggressive imperialisms—Russian and German. It is our duty to halt them on two sides. Russia will probably try to remain neutral to the end of this war. Then, when all other nations are tired out by long conflict, Russia will be fresh and ardently disposed to extend Bolshevik imperialism."

"Economically, a Central European federation, even though predominantly agricultural, could survive. It would be a 'trust' of farm states. Imagine the power of a federation that has control of half the wheat production of Europe. We could raise far more food than we require, but with surplus food you can obtain anything you want in the industrial markets."

"I see a group of three states—Austria, Hungary and Czechoslovakia—which I hope Poland, Rumania and Yugoslavia will have some form of alliance. Thus, the federated states, by eliminating economic barriers, will reinforce each other without sacrificing any of their national integrity or independence."

## PERDUE NEWS

Another cold spell just leaving. I hope we get thawed out before we freeze again.

Mr. and Mrs. Lennie Houston has returned from a two weeks visit to relatives above Troy.

Mr. Curtis Armstrong of Columbus, Ga., visited his parents this week-end.

Mr. R. E. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Hollie Boutwell and daughter, Vivian, and Miss Mary Grace Armstrong attended the seven-shape singing at Zion Chapel Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. R. E. Chapman and Mrs. Archie Houston were pleasant callers at Mrs. Hollie Boutwell and Mrs. Helen Armstrong last Tuesday afternoon.

Several from here attended the funeral of Miss Darrow Lowry which took place at Hebron Church last Wednesday.

Mrs. Owen Chapman of Elba visited home folks last Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Johnnie Dawkins made a business trip to Troy last Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Dawkins have moved in our community. We sure do give them a hearty welcome.

Mr. Hollie Boutwell and family visited the bedside of his mother, Mrs. Owen Chapman, Sunday night, who continues very ill.

We had a good many present at the club meeting last Thursday which was held at the home of Mrs. J. C. Boutwell. There were a few new ones added, and most of the old members were present.

When the time for going home came, every one expressed themselves as having spent a very profitable and enjoyable afternoon.

Mr. Archie Houston made a business trip to Elba Tuesday.

**TEACHERS ASSOCIATION MET IN ENTERPRISE SATURDAY**

The Coffee County Teachers Association held a meeting in the new Auditorium of the County High School in Enterprise Saturday.

The meeting was presided over by Mr. Harvey J. Lockard, president of the Association. The Enterprise high school band played a number of selections. This was followed by songs by a group of students from the Coppinville Danubian school for coloreds.

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